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Poloff delivered reftel demarche to Leila Villatoro, Deputy Director of Multilateral Policy at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, regarding the upcoming votes on three resolutions that renew the mandates of UN institutions that are biased against Israel. Villatoro stated that she believed that the GOG would again abstain from voting on all three resolutions. She added that she would share our concerns with the GOG mission in New York and inform the U.S. Embassy if the GOG had changed its position on the resolutions.

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